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SUBJECT

Resolution of the Kolar Dist. Board praying certain concessions in the matter of payment of pensionary Contributions for the Dist. Board Employees

47 L 4833 & 26-12-29 The Pdt. D.B. Ko. States that the Board's request Cannot be Sanctioned

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CR Post Dr B's Kolar note 408 D 21.9.29 forwards for sanction the Board's resolution D 14.9.29 praying for certain concessions in the matter of payment of pensionary contributions for the D.P.W.D employees.

With a view to cut down their establishment charges the Board have made the following proposals

1. That the period of 3 years prescribed in the case of Govt officials (art 46 of the Board may be strictly acted upon, so that the Board may claim the exemption from payment of pensionary contribution under art 266 A. & S.R.

2. That the pensionary contribution payable in respect of the P.W.D clerical staff & medical institution staff may be waived

3 Waiving the pensionary contribution in the case of P.W.D pensionary establishment charges also at 2/3 per cent?

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	3 greater use to rural areas which may only ⅓ of the charges against ⅔ borne by the DL Boards.
	4. The H & Q. in Branches may be entrusted about the working of the preliminary construction & maintenance charges of L.I. Fisheries respectively
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6.) The question for consideration is the request of the Kolar District Board that

(1) the Board may be exempted from payment of contribution towards the pension charges of

(a) the clerical staff ~~xxxxxx~~ who are liable to transfer under the rules for the recruitment of District Board employees and

(b) the establishment of the Local Fund Dispensary and

(2) the relief ~~to~~ be given to the District Board by the reduction of the maintenance charges of Local Fund Dispensary.

7.) As regards the pension charges of the clerical staff, the President ~~experiences~~ explains that the application of the rule laid down in Article 266 A of the Mysore Service Regulations will be advantageous to the District Board as the term of the service of the officers lent to the Board will not exceed three years under the rules. The Board presume that they will get exemption if the proportionate pension payable by them ~~from that~~ falls short of one-fourth of the total amount. The article merely says that the Local Funds will be exempted from contributing towards the pensionary charges of an officer. The Board presume that the ~~xxxxxxxx~~ exemption is in respect of the proportion payable ~~xx~~ each Local ~~Boards~~ body. This is not so An officer whose services are lent to one Board may be ~~not~~ lent to another Board after the usual period of 3 years ~~xxxxx~~ is over or he may be lent ~~to the same Board~~ more than once to the same Local body This aspect has been ignored by the Board The Government are obliged to employ additional officers for being lent

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to the Local Bodies and the Local Bodies have to contribute towards their pension. The prayer of the Board in this respect has therefore to be rejected.

8) With regard to exemption from pensionary charges of the Dispensary establishments, the resolution of the Board refers to all Dispensaries whether they are located in Municipalities or not. The District Boards now meet the entire establishment charges of the Dispensaries located outside their towns. They are also required generally to contribute two-thirds of the establishment charges of Dispensaries in Municipal Towns, the remaining one-third being borne by the Municipal Councils concerned. The Standing Committee of the Kolar District Board consider that the proportion in respect of Dispensaries in Municipal Towns may with advantage be reversed and that the establishment being liable to transfer to other Districts, the proviso to Article 266 A of the M.S.R. becomes inoperative by payment of pensionary contribution monthly as the several Municipal Funds and District Funds are distinct and independent of each other. The argument in fallacious. Article 266 A refers to cases in which the whole pay of an officer at any time is charged to a single fund (Vide Article 266B). The pensionary charges of officers whose pay is met in shares or by more than one Local Body should be borne by the General Revenues to which a contribution should be made by the Local Bodies concerned. In respect of Dispensaries not located in the Municipal Towns the Board may be permitted under Art. 266 A. to pay the proportionate pension when it becomes due if

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they are not agreeable to the arrangement specified in Article 266 C. In respect of Dispensaries in Municipal Towns, the District Board are bound to contribute their ~~xxx~~ quota of the pensionary charges according to the proportion now fixed till the proportion is revised as requested by the Board.

2) The revision of the existing proportion, in which charges on account of the maintenance of establishment ~~charges~~ of Dispensaries have to be borne has not been referred to in the resolution of the District Board as sent up to Government. The resolution merely refers to the pensionary contribution only. The President reports that the Standing Committee of the District Board state—

(1) that the Government now contributing only towards the pay of the Sub Assistant Surgeons and Europe Medicines, and the cost debitable to the State and Municipal Funds is comparatively less than that paid by the District Board.

2) the benefits of these dispensaries are greater to the population in Urban areas and

(3) the revocery of a contribution of 2/3rds of the maintenance charges from the District Boards is not justifiable.

3) The existing proportion was fixed at a time when there were no dispensaries in the interior of the Districts and the Dispensaries in Municipal Towns used to serve the needs of the population on both the rural parts and Municipal towns. ~~Though the number of people in rural parts resorting to Dispensaries in Municipal Towns is comparatively few,~~ the dispensaries in Municipal Towns have to minister to the wants of

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both the rural and urban population and the rural population cannot be deprived of the benefits of the institutions. ~~The~~ number of Public Institutions is being reduced

(2) The ~~increase in the number of~~ establishment of new dispensaries maintained by District Boards in the interior parts and the increase in the number of dispensaries in the Municipalities have rendered the proportion originally fixed, too heavy so far as the District Boards are concerned and the proportion originally fixed requires revision. A fair way of treating the Local Bodies in this matter would be to require each Municipal Council to maintain the dispensary in the Municipal Town out of its own funds. As a portion of the Local cess contributed by the people in the Municipal areas should be utilised towards their medical relief, the District Board must contribute for the benefit of the inhabitants of the Municipal Town a reasonable portion of the local cess on land revenue and excise items of revenue realised in the Municipal areas and they must also contribute for the benefit of the inhabitants of the rural parts a fair amount which would be sufficient to compensate the Municipal Council for actually affording the Medical aid and for keeping open the dispensary for the benefit of the rural population also. The question for consideration is what proportion of the charges may be fairly recovered from the District Board as the present ratio of two-thirds is represented to be too heavy.

(3) The Senior Surgeon may perhaps be consulted in the matter

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15) Forwarded with compliments of the Director for favour of an expression of his opinion

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16) At the outset it must be noted that this is a large question which will have to apply to other Districts also.

17) The first reason adduced by the Board for the reduction of their contribution is that the Government now meet only the charges relating to the pay of the Sub Assistant Surgeon and the cost of Europe Medicines and that the cost debitable to the State and Municipal Funds is comparatively less than that paid by the District Board. I am afraid this statement does not bear scrutiny. The average cost of a dispensary comes to Rs.250/- per mensem including the cost of Europe Medicines The proportion payable is fixed as follows: Government Rs.131/-; District Board 79 and Municipality Rs.49 It will be seen that far from the District Board contribution being higher, they are paying nearly fifty per cent. less than the amount which is debited to State Funds.

18) Pensionary contribution is payable by the local bodies only in respect of the Compounder, Dispensary Attendant, and the Midwife whose pay aggregate to Rs.59/- per mensem, involving the payment of a pensionary contribution of a little less than Rs.7/- per mensem. It cannot by any mean be said that this sum is too heavy.

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4) It is to be remembered also that the Midwife and the Compounder are appointed exclusively for employment in local Fund Dispensaries and cannot be regarded as Government Officers lent to the District BOARDS.

5) Lastly, I do not think that conditions have changed so much as to warrant the supposition that Dispensaries stationed in Municipalities almost exclusively serve the needs of the urban population. The residents of the surrounding villages continue to enjoy the benefits of the dispensary quite to the same extent as before.

21) In my opinion, no case exists at all for considering the question of reversing the proportion of contributions payable, as proposed.

S. Subba Rao
Senior Surgeon.

22) Draft on the lines set forth by the

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(Mr. D-H.)

23 Draft put up for appl.

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Dr Leslie also in opinion on the financial aspect enunciated in the notes & the draft

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26) I entirely agree with the Senior Surgeon. I am inclined to characterise the proposals of the Kolar District Board as ~~most~~ unreasonable. My own impression is that the District Boards in the Mysore State bear less than their proper share of expenditure in the maintenance of hospitals and dispensaries. This is however another matter.

So far as the payment of pensionary contribution is concerned, the application for exemption cannot be entertained on any account. Pension is now being regarded more or less as deferred pay, and there is a strong feeling among the pensionable employees that it should be replaced at least partially by a system of provident fund, the claim of each year being discharged by the employer by crediting the bonus to a deposit account.

The rate of one-nineth salary prescribed in the Mysore Service Regulations is, if anything, low. The rate in force in respect of employees lent to Foreign service is one-eighth of pay. For reasons detailed at length in the Secretariat notes and in the light of the explanation of the present position, I am of opinion that there is no case for any modification in the rules. by the Senior Surgeon

A An elaborate draft like the one suggested by the Secretariat is not called for. A brief reply negativing the request may, I think, be sent.

OFFICE OF THE SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL
13 DEC. 1929
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47	Pl refer to Board's letter No. 4833 dt. 26-12-29. States that the Board's request cannot be considered

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT, DISTRICT BOARD,
KOLAR DISTRICT.
Dated, Kolar, the 21st September 1929.

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From

C. B. Gopala Rao, Esquire,
President, District Board. KOLAR.

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER KOLAR. 23 SEPT. 1929 GI. No.....

B. NARAYANASWAMY IYENGAR, ESQUIRE, B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
GENERAL Department, BANGALORE.

Thro' (The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District)

Sir,

The question of pensionary contributions for the employees of the Boards is assuming a large figure as the cost of establishment charges which had undergone several revisions due to high prices and various other causes has steadily increased lately and the question was considered by the Standing Committee of the Board in their meeting of the 28th ultimo as the Comptroller has been requesting contribution at 1/9 of the pay of Establishment in his No.134 pension dated 13.8.1928.

2. The Committee considered the question in all its aspects and were of opinion that the present arrangement needs modification and that with this view, the Government may be approached for sympathetic consideration and necessary relief.

3. The Rules of recruitment to the Boards supeior service are -- embodied in notification No.L. 4739- L.B. 25-26-39 dated the 20th January 1927 which lays down that the ordinary period of service under the Board of an official should not exceed three years and in exceptional cases to double that period. If this rule is strictly acted upon it will not only materially advance the prospects of Board -- servants but will also enable the Board to take advantage of the proviso to article 266 A of the Mysore Service Regulations and entitle them to exemption from contribution of pension towards the superior service establishment of the Board.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE KOLAR DISTRICT BOARD MEETING

HELD ON THE.....14th Septem[illegible] 1920

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No. 4/25. Pensionary contribution to District Board employees.

Resolution of the Standing Committee.

"he Government may be addressed to waive the contribution in respect of office clerical staff and medical establishment in respect of other Board employees who are not liable to transfers. and the Board may Contribute

Resolution Approved.

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"EXTRACT"

PRESIDENT,
District Board, Kolar.

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To

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Sir

Date of issue 26/12/29

Signed by M. T.K.S.

With reference to your letter No. Dic. 248. 29-30 Dt 21.9.29 requesting sanction to the Board's resolution ~~proposing~~ that they may be exempted from payment of contribution towards the pension charges of the clerical staff under the Board

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF H.H.
THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

R e a d:-

Letter No.O.C.248/29-30 dated, the 21st September 1929 from the President, District Board, Kolar, requesting sanction to the resolution of the District Board praying that the Board may be exempted from payment of contribution towards the pension charges of the clerical staff under the Board and towards the establishment of the Local Fund Dispensaries and that they may be given relief by the reduction of their contribution towards the maintenance charges of Local Fund Dispensaries.

ORDER NO.L.

Dated, Bangalore, the November 1929.

The proposals of the District Board are that:—

(1) the Board may be exempted from payment of contribution towards the pension charges of

(a) the clerical staff who are liable to transfer under the rules for the recruitment of District Board employees, a n d

(b) the establishment of Local Fund dispensaries a n d

(2) the relief to be given to the District Board by the reduction of the maintenance charges of Local Fund dispensaries.

2. As regards the pension charges of the

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the clerical staff, the President. ex-
plains that the application of article
266A of the Mysore service Regulations
will be advantageous to the District Bd.
as the term of the service of the officers
lent to the Board will not exceed three
years under the rules. The Board presume
that they will get exemption if the pro-
portionate pension payable by them falls
short of one-fourth of the total amount.
The article merely says that the local
funds will be exempted from contributing
towards the pensionary charges of an --
officer. The presumption that the exemption
is in respect of the proportion payable by
each local body ~~is not correct.~~ can not be accepted An officer
whose services are lent to one Board may be
lent to another Board after the usual pe-
riod of 3 years is over or he may be lent
more than once to the same local body
This aspect has been ignored by the Board.
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~~tional officers for being lent to the local~~
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~~towards their pension.~~ The prayer
of the Board in this respect cannot there-
fore be complied with.

3. As regards the pension payable
by the District Board for the establishment
in Local Fund Dispensaries, it is explained
that as the establishment is liable to ---
transfer to ~~Local Boards~~ other districts, the proviso to --
article 266 A of the Mysore Service Regns.
becomes inoperative by payment of the pen-
sionary contribution monthly as the seve-
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are independent of each other.

pensionary contribution is ~~reserved~~ only in respect of the ~~confirmed~~ Compounder, dispensary attendant and the midwife. The aggregate pay of this establishment is Rs.59/- and the amount payable on account of pensionary contribution is little than Rs.7/- per mensem and this cannot be considered as very heavy. This establishment is employed exclusively for employment in Local Fund Dispensaries and cannot be regarded as Government servants ~~but to~~ lent to the local bodies. Moreover article 266 A of the M.S.R. is not applicable to this case as it refers to cases in which the whole pay of an officer is debited to a single fund. The pensionary charges of officers whose pay is met in shares by more than one Local Body shares, under Article 266 B be debited to the State Funds to which a contribution should be made by the Local Bodies concerned. The ~~contribution~~ Contention of the Board is ~~untable~~ untenable for reasons specified above ~~are those stated in the foregoing paragraphs.~~

The reason adduced by the Board for the reduction of their contribution towards the maintenance charges of L.F. dispensaries is that Government now meet only the charges relating to the pay of the Sub Assistant Surgeon and the cost of European Medicines and that the cost debitable to the State and Municipal Funds is comparatively less than that paid by the District Board. This statement does not bear scrutiny. The average cost ~~for~~ of a dispensary comes to Rs.250/- per mensem including the cost of European Medicines. The proportion payable is fixed as follows:- Government Rs.131/-, District Board 79/- and Municipality Rs.49/-. It will be seen that far from the District Board contribution being higher,

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higher, they are paying nearly fifty per cent less than the amount which is debited to State Funds in the case of Dispensaries situated in Municipal Towns and nearly an amount equal to that contributed by the Government in the case of other Dispensaries. The conditions have not changed so much as to warrant the supposition that Dispensaries ~~stationed~~ in Municipalities almost exclusively serve the needs of the urban population. The residents of the surrounding Villages continue to enjoy the benefits of the dispensary quite to the same exent as before. In these circumstances Government consider that there is no case for considering the question of reduction of the contribution payable by the District Boards towards the maintenance charges of Local Fund dispensaries in Municipalities.

for approval

DRAFT)

General Secretary to Govt.

To

The Pdt. Dt. Bod. Kolar, THRO' the Deputy Commr. Kolar District.
" Senior Surgeon in Mysore.
" Sanitary Commr. in Mysore.
" Deputy Commrs of Dists.
" Comptroller to Govt.

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